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SUBJECT: TEXTILE CLASSIFICATION - CATEGORIES 219-221

REF: MANILA 3239

1. OUR INVESTIGATIONS SHOW NO CHANGE IN US CUSTOMS DEFINITIONS FOR CATEGORIES 219 AND 221 SINCE THE AUGUST 2, 1974, AMENDMENT TO THE JULY 9, 1973 GUIDELINES. (COPIES OF BOTH THESE DOCUMENTS ARE BEING AIR POUCHED TO YOU.) THE 1974 AMENDMENT REGARDED CLASSIFICATION OF GARMENTS WITH HOODED COLLARS AND MOCK OR FULL TURTLENECKS.
 2. PART OF 219-221 PROBLEM MAY BE EXPLAINED BY FACTORS INVOLVED IN CLASSIFYING SAMPLE NUMBER 3 WHICH YOU FORWARDED TO EB/TEX (REGISTRY NUMBER 146953). THIS SAMPLE WAS 12 GAUGE, WHICH REQUIRES ANALYSIS OF OTHER CHARACTERISTICS
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FOR DETERMINATION OF TEXTILE CATEGORY. THE SAMPLE HAD DUAL WAISTS. THE LOWER ONE MEASURED ABOUT 2 INCHES AND THE UPPER ONE ABOUT 3 INCHES, RESULTING IN A COMBINED WAIST OF ABOUT 5 INCHES. THESE WAISTS WERE NOT PRONOUNCED AND MAY NOT HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED BY EXPORTER AS SUCH. IF SAMPLE 3 HAD BEEN WITHOUT WAIST OR WITH WAIST MEASURING 3 INCHES OR LESS, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED AS SWEATER IN

CATEGORY 221. BECAUSE THIS SAMPLE HAD A WAIST GREATER THAN

3 INCHES, IT WAS CLASSIFIED AS SHIRT IN CATEGORY 219.

3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION GOP HAS OF
ALLEGED CHANGES IN CLASSIFICATION PRACTICE IN ORDER TO
FURTHER INVESTIGATE MATTER. VANCE

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